

Resource Summary Report

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TargetScan

RRID:SCR_010845

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Resource Information

URL: <http://targetscan.org/>

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Description: Web tool to predict biological targets of miRNAs by searching for presence of conserved 8mer, 7mer and 6mer sites that match seed region of each miRNA. Nonconserved sites are also predicted and sites with mismatches in seed region that are compensated by conserved 3' pairing. Used to search for predicted microRNA targets in mammals.

Synonyms: TargetScanFly

Resource Type: service resource, data analysis service, web service, analysis service resource, software resource, production service resource, data access protocol

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Alternate IDs: OMICS_00420

Alternate URLs: http://www.targetscan.org/vert_71/

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for TargetScan.

No alerts have been found for TargetScan.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 10783 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [nidm-terms](#) .

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